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JAMES PHILIP ANDREW)	
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For: AN IMAGE CODING METHOD)	
AND APPARATUS FOR	:	
LOCALISED DECODING AT)	
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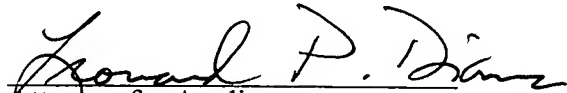
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant respectfully directs the Examiner's attention to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

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Respectfully submitted,

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